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DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)		US APPHEATION NO. (if known, see 37 CFR 1.5)							
CONCERNING A SUBMISSION UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371		U/5/6 M n							
INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/JP2004/010932	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE 30 July 2004	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED							
TITLE OF INVENTION CASTERS									
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US									
Toshio YAMAUCHI Applicant herewith submits to the United Stat	es Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/	US) the following items and other information:							
1. x This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.									
2. This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.									
This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.									
4. The US has been elected (Article 3	The US has been elected (Article 31).								
5. x A copy of the International Applicati	A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2))								
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b. has been communicated by the	b. has been communicated by the International Bureau.								
c. is not required, as the application	c. is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).								
S. x An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).									
a. x is attached hereto.	a. x is attached hereto.								
b. has been previously submitted	b. has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).								
7. x Amendments to the claims of the In	7. X Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))								
a. are attached hereto (required o	a. are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).								
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c. have not been made; however,	c. have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.								
	d. x have not been made and will not be made.								
8. An English language translation of t	An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).								
9. X An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).									
An English language translation of t Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).	An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).								
Items 11 to 20 below concern docum	ent(s) or information included:								
11. X An Information Disclosure Statem	ent under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.								
12. x An assignment document for record	ling. A separate cover sheet in complia	nce with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.							
13. A preliminary amendment.									
14. An Application Data Sheet under 3	7 CFR 1.76.								
15. A substitute specification.	A substitute specification.								
	A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.								
17. A computer-readable form of the se	A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821 – 1.825.								
	A second copy of the published International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).								
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